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TO : Assistant Director for Special Operations DATE: 11 December 1950

FROM : Chief, Communications Division

SUBJECT: CIA Regulation ☐ dated 1 December 1950 25X1

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1. The recommendations of the Chief, Communications Division, relative to CIA Regulation ☐ are submitted herewith. Attachment A presents the conclusions arrived at after a study was made by key individuals of the Communications Division as to how communications support for the national intelligence effort and the Central Intelligence Agency can best be provided.

2. Basic requirements which must be met in order to successfully prosecute the activities of the Central Intelligence Agency are:

A. Reliable, secure, and rapid communications facilities for

(1) The collection and dissemination of intelligence and intelligence information.

(2) The exercise of operational and administrative control of all activities of the Agency wherever located.

B. Research and development of specialized communications techniques and equipment and operation of facilities essential to

(1) Support of clandestine intelligence operations.

3. It is the opinion of the Chief, Communications Division, that the foregoing requirements can best be met through the following:

A. Adoption of the organization as set forth in Attachment A.

B. Assignment of a staff communications officer, with suitable assistants, to each Assistant Director to assure that communications requirements peculiar to each operating office are effectively presented and provided for.

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C. That the title "Chief, Communications" be utilized regardless of the location of this office within the Agency organizational structure.

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